



STATE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

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Lemon re-elected to State Transportation Board

Jonesboro businesswoman earns second 5-year term

ATLANTA – Dana Lemon of Clayton County was re-elected to the State Transportation Board Friday by a caucus of state senators and representatives from the 13th Congressional District. This is the second term on the board for Lemon, who was first elected in 2003.

Lemon serves on the Board's Consultant Services, Equal Access, Finance, Intermodal and Public-Private Initiatives committees.

A graduate of Davidson College, Lemon owns W.D. Lemon and Sons Funeral Home in McDonough. She has an extensive background in business that includes project implementation and budget oversight. She has been instrumental in the prioritization of major projects within her district and is an advocate of alternative transportation modes in Georgia. She is a member of the Henry County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors and volunteers with nonprofit organizations that address family violence and counseling issues.



*State Transportation Board Member
Dana Lemon*

13th Congressional District

A resident of Jonesboro, she will continue her service with a five-year term that begins with the April board meeting.

"Thank you for this honor. I am humbled and honored and I thank you for your trust," Lemon told the 13th District legislators.

The Georgia Department of Transportation is governed by the State Transportation Board. Its 13 members, representing each of the state's Congressional Districts, exercise general

control and supervision of the Department. Each member serves a five-year term and the terms are staggered.

Board members are elected by the state representatives and senators whose state districts fall within the Congressional District, whether it's all of their District or just a portion.

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